

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA
(Before a Referee)

THE FLORIDA BAR,
Complainant,

v.

DANIEL MARKOVICH,
Respondent.

Supreme Court Case
No. SC22-566

The Florida Bar File
No. 2022-70,419 (11D)(MFC)

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**RESPONDENT'S MOTION TO STAY CASE
PENDING FINAL RESOLUTION OF CRIMINAL APPEAL**

Respondent, Daniel Markovich, files this Motion to Stay Case Pending Final Resolution of Criminal Appeal, and as grounds states as follows:

1. On April 28, 2022, the Florida Supreme Court issued an order acknowledging the Bar's Notice of Determination or Judgement of Guilt and suspending respondent from the practice of law pursuant to Rule 3-7.2(f) of the Rules Regulating the Florida Bar.

2. On March 29, 2022, respondent filed his Notice of Appeal from his criminal conviction in the United States Court of Appeals

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for the Eleventh Circuit. The appeal has been assigned Case No. 22-10978.

3. Respondent has a good faith belief that his appeal will result in relief from the adjudication of guilt in this matter, which result will necessarily impact the instant disciplinary action.

4. Respondent agrees that, if this Court grants the instant motion to stay, he or his counsel will provide quarterly status reports concerning the appeal to the Referee and to the Bar; and that he or his counsel will promptly petition to lift the stay when the appeal is concluded.

5. On July 12, 2022, respondent filed a written waiver of the time limitations contained in Rule 3-7.2(h) of the Rules Regulating the Florida Bar.

6. Respondent has consulted with Bar Counsel, Ms. Jennifer Falcone, concerning the contents of this motion, and has been authorized to indicate that the Bar takes no position regarding same.

WHEREFORE, respondent respectfully requests this Honorable Court enter an order staying this matter pending final resolution of the criminal appeal.

DATED this 26th day of July, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that the foregoing notice has been furnished to **The Honorable Mavel Ruiz**, via email to the referee's judicial assistant at rayala@jud11.flcourts.org; with copies to **Jennifer R. Falcone**, Bar counsel, via email at jfalcone@floridabar.org; and to **Patricia Ann Toro Savitz**, Staff Counsel, The Florida Bar, via email at psavitz@floridabar.org, on this 12th day of July, 2022.

/s/ Bruce S. Rogow
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